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TWO CENTS

PRESENT WAGE AGREEMENT MAY BE TERMINATED BY THE MINERS

Convention to be Held Next
Week Will Decide
Question

LIKELY ASK FOR MORE MONEY

An important convention of the United Mine Workers of America, which is being presided over by John L. Lewis, acting President is to be held in Cleveland next week. Mr. Lewis was scheduled to hold an important conference with Phillip Murray, President of the Pittsburg district, and other leaders some time today looking toward an outline of action to be taken by the convention. It is generally conceded that if a wage advance is not granted by the operators of the central competitive district, which embraces Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, a strike is certain to follow.

At present the miners are working under an agreement made to meet the exigencies of the war, which is automatically expire when peace is officially declared. The miners' officials, however, are of the opinion that it is time to cancel the present contract at the earliest possible moment but in a safe, business-like manner and then insist on an advance and better conditions. In the event of a strike the central competitive field whose rate as a basis for all the rates paid in all other fields of the country, would first be affected, then to be followed by a general suspension. Among the more conservative the opinion prevails that the operators will make concessions that will avert a strike. Much will depend on the demands to be made by the miners. These will be framed by the convention which opens next Tuesday, and then submitted to the operators at a conference agreed upon to be held in Buffalo on September 25.

ARE URGED TO SAVE VEGETABLES

The Bureau of Markets of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture sends out the following forecast regarding the supplies of near-by fruits and vegetables for the present week:

"Housewives are urged to make the best use of the many vegetables available in large quantities this week. Every can put up means perishables saved and a tasty dish for the difficult winter menus. Beets, beans, sweet corn, cabbage, cucumbers, onions, peppers, and tomatoes promise to be plentiful practically throughout the state. The eggplant and summer squash can be fried and served in place of meat or can be prepared in many other attractive ways."

If you want fresh fish call at the Peoples Cash Meat Market, 521 McKeen Avenue. 76-t3

HEAVY VOTE PROMISED AT COMING ELECTION

Reports from various cities and towns throughout the state indicate that an unusually large vote will be polled at the coming primary and general elections. In many instances the registration is largely in excess of what it was last year when Pennsylvania elected a Governor and other state officers, but this year the voters appear to be taking a greater interest in the election of city, borough county and township officers than they did in selecting those who were to administer state affairs.

TO INVESTIGATE A HOLD-UP GAME

Allegheny county officials are about to investigate what is known as the "fine mill" to which many motorists have been subjected by justices of the peace, constables and traffic policemen of boroughs and townships in that county. This investigation is to follow a number of complaints which have been made to the District Attorney's office. Fines and costs have been paid by motorists, it is said who have been held up, falsely accused of parking, driving without lights or some other infraction of the automobile laws. Testimony far from the truth, it is alleged has been offered by the arresting officer.

Motorcycle owners have been sworn in a deputy constables in many districts on their own requests, it is said for the opportunity of making some "easy money." Many justices of the peace have fallen in with the scheme, it is said and with the motorcycle officers, are reaping a golden harvest by dividing the costs assessed the motorists.

OLD PASSENGER CARS ARE BEING RETURNED

The old wooden passenger coaches, which were drawn from every section of the country, and which were placed in service on the Monongahela Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad during the street car strike are gradually being eliminated from local trains. These cars were of every type and description, some of them very antiquated, but none of them satisfactory to the railroad patrons, which had become so accustomed to the standard steel passenger coach of the Pennsylvania. The old cars, corn, cabbage, cucumbers, onions, peppers, and tomatoes promise to be plentiful practically throughout the state. The eggplant and summer squash can be fried and served in place of meat or can be prepared in many other attractive ways."

Boy Scouts Attention
Boy Scouts will meet at the corner of Fifth street and Washington at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Important.
R. B. Small, Assistant Scoutmaster. 77-t1-p

Believe People Will Stand Back Of The Salvation Army

Before the great war very few people had any definite conception as to the extent and scope of the Salvation Army activities. Many seeing the little group upon the street corner with their drum and tambourine thought that constituted the Army's whole field of labor, but it was the efficient service rendered our boys in France that brought the Salvation Army sufficiently into the limelight to make it the general public sit up and take notice of an organization that had for over 25 years quietly and unostentatiously been doing truly marvelous work among the mass of people who rarely, if ever, entered a church. It is impossible to describe in detail the various channels and agencies through which the Salvation Army works. Among other things, it has helped to settle, Rescue Home, Maternity Hospitals, Working-men's Hotels, Industrial Homes, and Children's homes.

RELEASE WOMAN ON HEAVY BAIL

Mrs. Rose Scotch, held for the murder of her husband, Veto Scotch at California, was released on Wednesday by order of the Washington county courts under \$5,000 bail. Cash bail was furnished. Mrs. Scotch is charged with shooting her husband following some trouble at the Scotch home. due, it is claimed to the abuse by the husband of the wife. The husband had been drinking to excess. He died in the McKeesport hospital on the 27th of June. The case was set for trial at the August term of criminal court, but was continued until the November term.

SALVATION ARMY AT FRONT FIRES SHOWN

An inspiring photoplay is the superb Paramount picture, "Fires of Faith," which will be seen at the Coyle theatre on Monday and Tuesday next. Incidental to the development of an unusually appealing love story, Salvation Army scenes at home and on the fighting line vest the subject with an added interest and serve to make the presentation perhaps the most notable seen in Charleroi in many years. The story deals with a young woman of the slums who is reclaimed through the Salvation Army and who goes to the front as a Salvation Army doughnut girl. The play never lags an instant, for there is plenty of action in every scene. The play is presented at this time in order to stimulate greater interest in the coming financial campaign for the benefit of the Salvation Army.

MUST OPERATE CARS WITHIN THE LAW

The first revocation of an automobile license by the state highway commissioner on recommendation of the public service commissioner, was made in Harrisburg on Wednesday, on a Pittsburg man who was found by the commission to be operating his car as a common carrier without approval of the commission. The authority for the revocation is conferred by the act of July 9, 1919. The department has also revoked several licenses obtained through misrepresentation of age, while in other cases repeated violation of automobile regulations have caused revocation.

PEOPLE PROFIT BY CUT RATE ON FOOD

Sale of surplus army foodstuff in New York has had the effect of starting "a cut rate war," and the people will benefit thereby. It was announced Wednesday that prices of canned soups had been slashed to meet a cut in soup prices made by a chain of grocery stores following inauguration of army food sales. The army soup was sold originally at 9 and 10 cents a can. The chain stores cut the price to three cents for 25 cents. The new price for the army soup is 7 cents a can. There was also a revision downward on other army foodstuffs now being sold in that city.

Mrs. Katherine Wonsettler, wife of E. R. Wonsettler, of Brownsville, died at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The body will be taken to Washington and funeral services held from the Ritchie mortuary room on Saturday next.

Coyle Theatre 2 Days Monday-Tuesday
"FIRES OF FAITH" the great Paramount production of 6 reel featuring Catherine Calvert, Eugene O'Brien and Ruby DeRemer
A tense, heart touching picture of a woman's regeneration set in a frame that reaches to the four corners of the earth

HIGH COST OF LIVING GETS QUITE A JOLT DOWN IN DONORA

NEW STEAMER GETS A SILVER SERVICE

On the trial trip of the steamer Edgar Thomson, a new boat about to be added to the Carnegie transportation line on the Monongahela river, the officials of the Edgar Thomson steel plant at Braddock presented a silver service as a mark of appreciation. During the trip a member of the coal and iron police stood guard over the valuables. Some years ago when the steamer Clyde was placed in commission the officials of the coal company presented the steamer with a silver service, but today it is but a memory, all of the pieces having been taken by souvenir hunters.

Rival Produce Dealers make It Very Interesting For Purchasers

PRICE WAR BENEFITS PEOPLE

The high cost of living has been given quite a jolt in Donora of late where an agitation against the high prices which were charged particularly by produce dealers has begun to have some effect. The campaign against excessive living costs has been under way for some time in that town and with such results that customers are able to see where a dollar is now able to make a very respectable showing when it goes to market.

On Saturday night last rival produce dealers who conducted open stands on McKean avenue in that town began to cut prices on commodities and the result was that customers were the beneficiaries of the contest. One of the proprietors of these open market stands is a pioneer in this field of endeavor in Donora, while his competitor has been in the produce business in the steel town for some time, and had threatened to make things so "hot" for the other fellow that he would be driven out of business.

However, "the other fellow" is sticking to his knitting, and according to the last reports was making good headway in his campaign to give the people of his home town better quality at a fairer price than had heretofore been charged in that town.

Of course a "price war" cannot last forever, for a point will come where it will be impossible to make any further cuts, but the outcome of the situation looks promising to the people who have today.

Donora has been a greater sufferer from sky-high prices than many other communities, the large wages paid at the mills in that town prompting the boosting of prices to such an extent that many of the citizens found it a difficult matter to make both ends meet. The general condition though - is improving and along with other communities Donora expects to secure foodstuffs at a more reasonable figure.

BOARD OF TRADE MEETS THIS EVENING

A regular meeting of the Charleroi Board of Trade will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the new borough building, at which time the annual election of officers will take place. Other matters of importance may be taken also at this meeting.

Professional Announcement
Dr. Edward L. Yohe has resumed his practice of dentistry in Monongahela City in the Trust Company Building, Second and Main streets. 75-t5.*

Raymond E. Charles left this week for the Detroit Institute of Technology, where he expects to take a course in the automobile and tractor business. 75-t4g

OFFICE HOURS FOR THE HEALTH OFFICER

As soon as he is established in his new office in the borough building, Health Officer Darby will establish office hours, that he may be available to calls. He has set his office hours at 10 o'clock a. m., and 1 and 4 p. m. the time when he may be called at the office and 7 a. m., 12 m., and 5 p. m., when he may be called at his home.

Dressmaking. Tailor made, suits and gowns. 657 Knox Avenue, Monessen. 75-t4g

Majestic Theatre Today
EVELYN NESBIT in
"MY LITTLE SISTER"
A realistic story of the big city's menace

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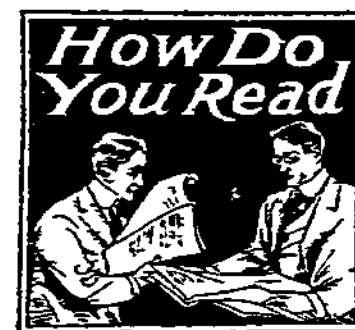
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Crayon 5c, Penny box chalk

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Composition Drawing books 10c
books 1c, 5c, 10c Paints 10c to \$1
Note books . . 5c Pencil boxes all sorts

MIGHT'S BOOK STORE

Coyle Theatre Today
Enid Bennett in a Paramount picture
"THE LAW OF MEN"
Tomorrow—Elsie Ferguson in a Paramount picture
"EYES OF THE SOUL"



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GOVERNMENT INSURANCE

Changes of major importance in the present War Risk Insurance Act embodied in the Sweet bill which it is believed will influence thousands of ex-service men to continue in peace the Government insurance earned during the war, will be urged upon Congress by the American Legion through its state organizations and 3500 local posts throughout the United States. In a statement issued today to all the Legion organizations by Henry D. Lindsley, chairman of the national executive committee, each state branch and local post will be requested to press upon its Congressmen and Senators the passage of this bill.

The four important amendments to the War Risk Act proposed in the bill are these:

1. The payment of converted insurance, at the election of the insured, in one lump sum or in 36 or more installments. This is government insurance which has been converted into straight life insurance, twenty or thirty year endowment or paid-up life insurance is paid in 240 monthly installments.

2. An increase in the class of beneficiaries of insurance so that uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, and persons in loco parentis may be included as beneficiaries.

3. An increase in the basis of awards in compensation cases to \$65 for total temporary disability and \$100 for total permanent disability. The present compensation payments are based on a rate of \$30 per month for total disability, whether temporary or permanent, and are believed to be wholly inadequate.

4. An increase in the period of automatic insurance which provides that any person who entered the service prior to November 11, 1917, is automatically insured for 120 days after entrance into active service.

In addition to these changes already embodied in the Sweet Bill, the American Legion will advocate one other amendment. This amendment, which is considered of vital importance especially for the soldier, sailor, or marine of small means, would permit of lump sum payments for the present Government term insurance as well as for Government insurance which has been converted into other forms. This would enable a man who cannot afford now to convert his war insurance, which is effective for five years after his discharge to have the same advantage of lump sum payment as the man who is able to convert his insurance immediately.

Two of these proposed changes, the increase in the class of beneficiaries and the payment of converted insurance in one lump sum or over a shorter period than the present 240 monthly installments, have been advocated by ex-service men for many months, and were proposed in resolutions adopted by the St. Louis caucus of the American Legion. It is only recently, however, that it has been possible to get legislative action started on them.

SPEED RURAL MAILS

At a recent hearing before the Post Office Committee of the House John A. McSparran, Master of the State Grange of Pennsylvania, protested against the policy of the Post Office Department of adding 5 or 6 miles to the length of a rural route instead of establishing a new route and readjusting the old ones. This added length of route, he explained, means that much more time for a farmer's mail to come, with the result that his letter misses a train and must be held over until the following day. When city people have as many as eleven deliveries a day, McSparran insisted that there should be no impairment of the rural service. At the same hearing Senator Moses of New Hampshire protested against the practice of sending a postal inspector from the plains of Texas to report upon mail routes in the hills of his state, and Representative Gould of New York presented the complaints of rural residents of the Empire State against the "penny-wise and pound foolish" policy which

uses a little money to save a great deal at the expense of the farmers.

HIGH COST OF REDUCING

Excessively costly money to do anything these days. Attorney General Palmer has asked Congress for \$1,200,000 to be used in the campaign to reduce the high cost of living. He also asks for \$500,000 extra for the enforcement of prohibition and the employment of additional assistants. The Department of Commerce wants \$410,000 to help it guarantee full weight in the sale of commodities and the Department of Labor wants \$475,000 for 200 more clerks. They have become so accustomed at Washington during war times to deal in millions and billions that when it comes to hundreds of thousands they are regarded as a mere bagatelle. The dear people look on askance and aghast at the way their money is going to pay the salaries of additional clerks and assistants in the various Federal offices. At Washington they may think so, but as a matter of fact the taxpayers' money does not grow on bushes.

PROBES ARMY SCANDAL

A mass of testimony has been gathered by Representative Roscoe C. McCullough of Ohio as to the treatment accorded the 332nd Infantry in Italy. It will be remembered that that was the military unit contributed by our Army when the allies sent assistance to Italy last summer. Disturbing reports have reached this country from time to time of habitual drunkenness on the part of nearly all of the officers, poor and unclean food for the men and no issues of clothes to replace the rags to which their uniforms had been reduced. Company H of that regiment came largely from Mr. McCullough's home town, which has intensified his interest in the investigation. The affidavits and depositions that he has collected have been placed in the hands of the Secretary of War, who has promised to have a searching inquiry made.

PEOPLE MAY AMEND

Senator Brandegee has reported from the Committee on the Judiciary the resolution introduced by him a short time ago proposing an amendment to the Constitution relating to the manner in which future amendments to that instrument shall be made. As the Constitution now reads amendments to it become effective when ratified by legislatures or conventions in three-fourths of the States. Senator Brandegee's resolution would permit Congress to stipulate that Constitutional amendments may be ratified by the electors in the States, or by either of the other two methods now provided. The Senator would also limit the period in which ratification could take place to six years from the date of the proposal of the amendment by Congress.

TSE TOLL OF INDUSTRY.

According to the report of the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, there were 134,844 accidents of various kinds in Pennsylvania during 1918, of which number 101,063 were received in industrial plants, 50,213 in mines and quarries, 33,593 in public service. Of these accidents 3,403 resulted fatally, 58,783 were of a serious character, while 127,638 were minor. In Washington county there were 135 fatalities, 1,587 of a serious nature and 3,975 of a minor character. Of this number 1,820 were industrial accidents, 3,461 were received in mines and quarries and 416 in public service. The statistics show that peace, as well as war, has its dangers for the worker, and that yearly a large toll is exacted of those who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow.

EVERY TOWN A FORT

Congressman Guy E. Campbell of Pittsburgh evidently intends that his district shall be well fortified against invasion. In one day recently he introduced fifty-eight bills each authorizing the Secretary of War to present "one German cannon or fieldpiece" to a designated town. "to be placed according to the wishes of the citizens of said place." Generous distribution of those bills among the voters will doubtless follow, showing his constituents how Mr. Campbell is busily looking after their interests. In sending out copies of the bills he will probably think it best not to state that not one of them has one chance in a thousand of passing.

Attention, Mill Workers!

Who has had experience in selling food products to the consumer, who is married and out of work at present, will find it to their interest to call on and see the manager of the Jewel Tea Company, 405 Fifth St., CharleROI, Pa. 63-11

McKEES ROCKS MAN HAD BEEN SUFFERER

W. Price, Well Known Painter
and Paper Hanger, Re-
lieved by Ten-Herbs

No new article of the times has created such profound interest, especially in the larger cities, as has the introduction of Ten-Herbs, the famous stomach remedy. People in all walks of life have been attracted to it the statesman, the professional man, mechanic, financier, brakeman, society woman, waitress—they all have tested it and permitted the use of their names in telling of it.

Every day people are coming forward with unqualified statements as to the great benefit they have received from the use of Ten-Herbs.

Recently, the following testimonial was given by Mr. W. Price, one of the best known painters and decorators in McKees Rocks, who resides at No. 300 Chartiers avenue and has a wide acquaintance in that city. He said:

"For several years past I have been troubled with my stomach. I was bloated with gas, could not digest my food and my limbs were stiff and sore my liver was sluggish and I felt drowsy and sleepy during the day, but could not sleep at night. I was very nervous and felt completely run down. I was told I had catarrh of the stomach and needed something to build me up. I had tried a number of different medicines but never got anything to relieve me until I began to take your Ten-Herbs. Now I am improved in every way. I sleep well and have a fine appetite. I am glad to endorse Ten-Herbs."

Ten-Herbs cleanses, strengthens and revitalizes the whole system. It clears the blood of poisons and impurities, puts the lazy liver to work, regulates the bowels, tones up the digestive organs and strengthens the kidneys.

Ten-Herbs is sold in CharleROI at Henning's Drug Store.

To Soften Paint Brushes.

If paint brushes have been allowed to get dry and hard, they can be softened in the following manner: Heat some vinegar to boiling point and allow the brushes to simmer in it for about ten minutes. Then wash them well in strong soapsuds.

Improved Propellers.

A new propeller for either water or air has blades with spiral-like curves at one point and concave at the other, carrying the water or air their full length and overcoming the gyroscopic effect of ordinary propellers.

Rat Rashes on Crops.

There are about 750 forms of rodents inhabiting the United States, and the annual loss they cause in food and feed crops is estimated at \$50,000,000.—Indianapolis News.

Overheard.

"Poor man! She makes him shake in his shoes so much he wears out his socks in no time."—Boston Transcript.

So They Couldn't Get Away.

In older times, when the men kissed, each took hold of the other's beard during the operation.

Immense Pastoral Holdings.

It has been said that the average size of pastoral holdings in the northern territory of Australia is 275,000 acres.

Daily Thought.

Aspiration sees only one side of every question: possession, many.—Lowell.

No Raise In Rent No Moving Days

If you own your home

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Suppressive signs are: Pale, bloated appearance, dark rings under the eyes, emaciation, constipation, nervous, coated tongue, loss of appetite, with occasional profuse, indigestion, after taking certain food, as Ham, Bacon, Cakes, Viennas, etc., even smells of fainting with an empty stomach, appearing unclean, itching of obstruction in the throat, sour stomach, head-dizziness, pain, stomach, head-ache, humming in ears, with frequent having a heavy, morbid mass in the bowels, casting pains in intestines, rumbling and wave-like movements, palpitation of the heart, excitation, nervousness in limbs, sedimentary mucus, etc.

In addition thereto, may occur sympathetic disturbances which sometimes assume a grave character, hemorrhages, menstrual irregularities, hysterical fits, choreic convulsions and even epileptic attacks.

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- (2) To buy the securities best suited to their circumstances.
- (3) To buy only through a bank or reliable broker.

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New Fall Millinery

While our Fall Opening will not be for some time, this department is ready to show you everything that's new and fashionable in Fall Millinery. Our milliners are now working overtime to supply the needs of our early patrons.

Some of the Newest Hats

are Velvets combined with Doveteen and Beavers Cloth trimmed with Pheasant feathers and novelty wing trimmings.

New Tailored Velours and Hatters Plush trimmed with coque feathers. Suitable for street and dress wear.

An early showing in all the new things in Children's Hats, suitable for Dress and School Wear.

Beautiful New Coats, Splendid New Suits, and Lovely New Dresses, Dainty New Neckwear in all the new Designs, Colorings and Fabrics.

The New Autumn Styles

are very attractive. Choose your new garments now while there are so many new ones to choose from, at

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AUGUST WAS A VERY WET MONTH

August was the wettest month on record, according to the Pittsburgh weather bureau, with the one exception of August, 1888. A total rainfall of 7.15 inches fell last month and in the same month of 1888 the rainfall was 7.26 inches.

As a result of the spring-like frequency of showers, the grass and vegetables throughout the district are as fresh and as green as in April, and the parched appearance of lawns usual at this time of year, is notably absent.

DEALER'S REPUTATION IMPORTANT CONSIDERATION

It is coming to be more and more a fact that permanent satisfaction of the car buyer must arise out of the interest and responsibility of the dealer for in these days of quality car production by an army of manufacturers, one dependable factor in the transaction is the dealer.

The real value of a car is in the exact measure to the service which it gives, and this depends largely upon dealer cooperation with the buyer after the sale is made. The buyer is almost wholly helpless if thrown back without recourse upon the manufacturer who is far distant and often unable adequately to exert his interest in the buyer's satisfaction.

The modern dealer must get squarely under this responsibility and become more of a merchant and less of a mere order taker. The development of this new trend in automobile merchandising will result in strong dealers, themselves able and willing to stand between the buyer and the manufacturer to the end that the purchaser shall always get what he wants and full service from the car of his choice.

Spencer's Garage is emphasizing the importance of dealer responsibility and is getting squarely in line with this new phase of automobile merchandising.

Notice

The Jazz Club of Monessen has secured the Original McCopas' Jazz and the parched appearance of lawns usual at this time of year, is notably absent.

CHARLEROI PLEASED BY QUICK RESULTS

Everyone is pleased with the quick results of simple witchhazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One man's eyes were so badly strained he could not read without pain. Two applications relieved him. A lady with weak, inflamed eyes was greatly helped by ONE bottle. We guarantee a small bottle of Lavoptik to help ANY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Hennings Drug Store corner Fifth and McKean.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Elmer A. Hazlett, deceased, late of Borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania.

Letters of Administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Charleroi Savings & Trust Co., Administrator.
Guy Moffitt, Atty.
A-14-2123-S-4-11-18

SERVICES AT MAPLE CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

Elder Clevenger, of the Virginia Baptist Association, will conduct services at the Maple Creek Baptist Church on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Chief Albright was in Washington on Wednesday, having taken over Tony Moore, who is held in \$1,000 bail on a charge of assault and battery. Moore's case will come up at the next term of court.

from her home at 819 Oakland avenue today to the Memorial hospital in Monongahela, in the borough ambulance.

If you want fresh fish call at the Peoples Cash Meat Market 521 McKean avenue. 76-43

"Scutage" was the money payment exacted from knights in lieu of personal service. The first instance of it occurred in the reign of Henry II. It enabled the king to hire mercenaries for his foreign wars and to dispense with the services of his barons and came to be regarded as a regular source of revenue. The right of the sovereign to exact it, however, was generally restricted by Magna Charta. It was also given as escuage.

15-MINUTE TALKS ARE TOO LENGTHY

An official decision has been given by the Public Service Commission as to how long a patron may use a telephone line at one time. Chairman Alney has ruled that "where a considerable number of subscribers are dependent on the same wires, to use the telephone in such a manner as not unduly to interfere with the use of the line by other patrons," and a 15-minute conversation, except under unusual circumstances is not fair. The decision was given in a case against a rural telephone company.

This is the first official utterance by the commission in a case where it was alleged that monopolized telephone lines for such prolonged conversations that it prevented other subscribers from getting service. The complaint was that the telephone company had cut off service after a dispute over a bill in which it was alleged the complainant and his family had abused the privileges and annoyed and inconvenienced other subscribers by not "getting off the line." The service was ordered restored, but subscribers were given to understand that they had no exclusive privileges in using the service.

MUNONGAHELA WINS FROM ELLSWORTH

Ellsworth was practically put out of the running for the baseball championship of the county by the Monongahela team last night, when the rivermen defeated the coal miners in a test game by a score of 6 to 5 at Ellsworth. Monongahela has defeated Ellsworth in every game the two teams have met so far during the present season, having taken four games from the midlanders. The victory of last night gives Monongahela five victories against one defeat and makes them a strong contender for premier honors with Charleroi. Rapp pitched for Monongahela while Barrett of the Pittsburgh Collegians, did the twirling for Ellsworth. Charleroi and Monongahela will meet again next week.

MONESSEN "SOAKS" STILL GET THE BOOZE

Monessen is supposed to be a "dry" town, but the prohibition lid which clamped down on the first day of last May seems to be wobbling a bit. There were 26 cases of drunk and disorderly conduct in two days of this week, which kept the Burgess quite busy in dispensing law and justice to the offenders. Authorities across the river are wondering where the liquor is coming from, or whether some of the residents of the big town have discovered a new drink with the old-time "kick."

BATHING BEACH HAS BEEN DISCONTINUED

All the paraphernalia and equipment used in the river at the bathing beach has been removed and will be stored until next season. The cold snap of last week caused the management to decide on the early dismantling of the plant, which has proved to be such a popular feature of our summer sports.

A few men are reported to have placed at work in the Allenport plant of the Pittsburgh Steel Products company, in order to clean up some orders which are pressing for shipment. No announcement is made as to when the mill may be expected to resume in full.

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WANTED—Twenty girls, must be 16 years of age or over. Apply at Keystone Cut Glass Co., Maple Creek. 75-112

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WANTED—Detail draftsman for permanent position in Charleroi. State experience and salary wanted. Inquire 91 Mail office. 76-16

WANTED—Two women solicitors between 30 and 40 years of age. Call Friday 1 to 4 o'clock, room 205 Second floor Fifth Building. 76-12p

WANTED—Truck driver. Must be experienced on White truck. Apply Gulf Refining Co., Donora Pa. 77-13

LOST—Wednesday evening a watch. Reward for return to 857 Lincoln avenue. 77-11

WANTED—Salesman. Attractive automobile tire selling proposition. Good earnings from the start on liberal commission basis. Requires an automobile or motor cycle with side car. Territory assigned to men who can produce. Only hustlers need write. Overland Tire Sales Co., 450 Broad Street, Newark, N. J. 77-13

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THIRD PAYMENT DUE ON INCOME TAXES

Notices have been sent out by Collector of Internal Revenue C. G. Lewellyn to taxpayers of the district that the third installment of income tax is due on or before September 15. Collector Lewellyn said yesterday that heavy payments are already being made to his office.

COAL SHIPMENTS MAY BREAK ANOTHER RECORD

Repairs to Lock 5 have practically been completed, the gates having been placed Wednesday on the lock chamber which was under improvement. With No. 5 working to capacity the shipment of coal from the upper pools for the month of September promise to largely exceed those of July, which were a record breaker.

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